

BOARD OF TRADE HOLD ANNUAL MEETING WITH BIG BANQUET

Over fifty members of the Wainwright Board of Trade enjoyed the first annual banquet arranged at the Wainwright hotel on Friday evening last as part of the proceedings of their annual meeting.

After the tables were cleared, and the cigars were going good, the company settled down to hear President Cuthbertson give his annual report and conduct the routine business.

In his remarks, which were highly appreciated and very edifying as to the value of the board to the town and district, it was plainly pointed out by the speaker that Wainwright has seen several epoch-making events during the past twelve months; not the least among these being the ultimate success of the hospital scheme, and the installation of the natural gas in town.

He noted that number of new businesses had been opened up in town, while in other instances going concerns had changed hands, possibly for the better, and had been enlarged and extended.

He spoke at length on the proven value of the Board's booklet scheme of advertising the town, and cited instances of increased prosperity by the erection of a large number of new residences—some of them fully modern in every respect.

Other activities of the Board during the past year were shown to have borne fruit by the completion of the new government highway into town, and also the establishment of the tourist auto camp. He mentioned also that the National park at this point, and the buffalo kill had all added their quota of valued advertising to the town and district, and featured the fact that the park was fast becoming a revenue producing proposition for the country at large.

In dealing with matters affecting the farmers of our district he gave facts and figures to show that Wainwright was away ahead in grain production above the average figures officially given by both provincial and Dominion authorities.

The following are the comparisons of yields of grain in bushels per acre in this district for the year 1926:

Wheat—Wainwright	25.3
—Alberta	18.4
All Canada	17.8
Oats—Wainwright	36.3
—Alberta	23.8
All Canada	29.1
Barley—Wainwright	25.2
—Alberta	22.9
All Canada	27.7
Rye—Wainwright	19.3
—Alberta	13.2
All Canada	16.3

Mr. Cuthbertson also gave the shipment of grain from this district covering the 1925 crop as 453 carloads, and stated that up to December 31st last the total shipped of the 1926 crop was nearly 400 carloads with a total likely to reach the 600 carload mark.

In passing he mentioned also that no less than 130,000 gallons of crude oil had been shipped from Wainwright's oilfield last year, while in future this item would in all probability be handled right here in town at our new refinery which was in the erection stage, and would be ready for work early in the Spring.

Dealing with the coming year's work the speaker showed how the "THE FOOL" turns THE TIDE AGAINST "TAINTED MOVIES"

"The Fool," William Fox's much heralded picture of the Chanelling Pollock stage success, which shows here on Friday and Saturday, may be pronounced as a sincere attempt to bring clean pictures before the public. It makes no pretense at the spectacular—it is just a big, straightforward dramatic story of a self-effacing young zealot minister who aspired and tried to live as Christ lived—a theme with a tremendous appeal.

There isn't a doubt that the picture, with its moralistic theme, will exert a tremendous appeal here and elsewhere throughout the country. And Edmund Lowe, handsome young Fox star, who plays the role of the minister-hero, Daniel, is going to make thousands of new friends and admirers by his superb and feeling performance of the part. Mr. Lowe is pretty near the best picture, although Anne Dale, as the little cripple; Mary Thurman as the Magdalene, and Paul Panzer as Unanias, the Pole, share much of the selling honors.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH WELCOMES NEW PASTOR

On Wednesday evening last, the members and adherents of St. Andrew's Pres. church gathered in goodly numbers for a social evening in the church, when the Rev. C. Mackay and his good lady were given an official welcome to their new pastorate, greetings and felicitations being extended to them by the local officers of this denomination.

A highly interesting and instructive address was given by Mr. Mackay on his life work and travels in Australia, from whence he has come to Wainwright, and at the close refreshments were served by the ladies. Musical numbers rounded out the evening.

Mrs. Leon Courcier is visiting her sister in Edmonton with her baby girl.

We learn that Mr. Leopold Ledne of Greenshields was taken to the city for hospital treatment last week.

W. C. T. U. MEMBERS ENTERTAIN HUSBANDS AT BIG BANQUET

On Monday, January 10th, the Wainwright branch of the W.C.T.U. entertained their husbands and the local clergy at a sumptuous dinner in the United church house.

After the tables had been cleared, the Rev. G. Pybus proposed the toast of "The King" this being followed by the singing of the National anthem. Mr. M. Nelson next proposed the toast to the W.C.T.U., and in doing so remarked that the liquor traffic was at all times a very great evil and a problem that would never remain settled. In replying to this toast, Mrs. Nelson outlined some of the work accomplished by the local body and gave some pointers for the future.

The toast of "The Churches" was proposed by Mrs. A. Watson, and in reply Rev. C. Mackay, related some personal experience in church and temperance work. Mr. J. Cuthbertson, who was responsible for the toast of "The proposed hospital" spoke of the urging need of such an institution in our midst.

Mr. W. Bowen in reply to this toast, recited some of the uphill work which had been met with, but stated that the present year would see the hospital scheme completed in its entirety. Mr. H. Western gave the toast "The schools" and Mr. G. Hollinshead who replied assured the hearers of the hearty co-operation of the principal and staff in all matters affecting the schools and the children.

At the close Mr. Pybus summed up the remarks of the evening, and expressed the opinion that all were agreed that education along prohibitory lines was the best way of combating the liquor traffic, and felt sure that the toast showed a broad-minded spirit evinced by the W.C.T.U.

HOME NO 1 WELL IS EXPECTED IN AT ANY TIME

Art. Mewburn, and his merry bunch of mud hogs are happy these days, the reason being that they are practically waiting the bringing in of the No. 1 well of the Dome Oil Co.

The cementing job which was done at this well after the big pay sand had been struck at a little over 2300 feet has proved to be as perfect as possible, and drilling through this is now being done.

Just as soon as the bit makes bottom again the biter will be put to the test. There is little doubt that the well will be drilled to Wainwright oil producers will then be heralded.

As this hole has been drilled on what is considered to be the apex of the dome structure, and in view of the splendid saturation of the oil-bearing sand drilled into it, there is every prospect of this well giving high returns to shareholders of a lighter oil than some of the other wells in the vicinity. No doubt the next issue of The Star will be published the well will be "in" and in with a vengeance. This is more agreeable in view of the fact that this is the only company which has consistently drilled through the severe weather and has overcome the many setbacks which the drillers have experienced.

KLING-DEL CO. EXPLAIN POSITION RE ELECTRIC POWER

LETTERS TO EDITOR

THE EDITOR Dear Sir—In view of the fact that the Kling-Del Refractories Ltd. is here in town, to stay, it may not be amiss to inform the public through the medium of your valuable newspaper as to the communication forwarded to the Town Council, which unfortunately they did not apparently deem it necessary to give full publicity to (the official minutes of council meeting in your issue of the 12th inst.). The letter referred to was sent to the Town Council in good faith, and a copy of same is hereto attached for public perusal through your columns.

(Copy of letter sent to the Kling-Del Refractories Ltd. to the Town Council of Wainwright.)

Dec. 31, 1926

Mr. H. V. Pawling, Sec'y Treas., Town of Wainwright, Wainwright, Alberta.

Dear Sir: We are in receipt of your letter of Dec. 20th, enclosing a copy of a communication received by you from the Board of Public Utility Commissioners for Alberta regarding the extension of electric service line to our plant.

This is the first intimation we have (Continued on Page 6)

PLANS NOW PASSED FOR NEW MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL BUILDING

A meeting of the Municipal Hospital Board was held on Thursday last, when all members were present. The minutes of the previous meeting, having been read and confirmed on a motion by Trustee Jackson, Chairman Bowen reported that the Management committee had disposed of the \$35,000.00 debenture issue to Messrs Hunt, Kilburn & Co. of Edmonton, at a price of \$98.25, these debentures carrying 5 1/2 per cent. and bearing accrued interest to date until money is needed. The sale was carried through on the recommendation of the Minister of Health and his department. After the matter had been thoroughly discussed it was moved by Trustee Santee "That the action of the Management committee re sale of debenture issue to Hunt, Kilburn & Co., same having been on recommendation of minister of health be and is hereby ratified—Carried unanimously."

Letters were ordered, filed from several correspondents. The delegates to the convention of municipal hospitals, Trustees Santee and Roberts, gave a report of the business of the convention, and the report was accepted. Several points of interest in their report were tabled for a later meeting when the subject matter will be useful.

Arising from the delegates report the following motion was put forward by Trustee Roberts and carried: "That the recommendation of the joint committee re amalgamation of all hospitals in the province, as brought up at the Calgary convention be voted against in its entirety."

On a motion by Trustee Jackson, the acceptance of the report of the delegates and their discharge was carried.

Trustee Roberts moved "That the necessary advertising, offering hospital privileges according to the Act, be attended to by the secretary."—Carried.

Mr. R. Blakey, of Edmonton, the Board's architect attended the meeting and submitted for the Board's approval the preliminary sketch plans of the new proposed hospital building. These plans were gone into in detail, and the whole lay-out most thoroughly explained by the visitor. The plans showed steady accommodation for sixteen beds in the main building, with room for six more when required, and the sun parlor available for still more patients if necessary. After a long and studious time with the plans, and all explanations being fully satisfactory from Mr. Blakey, it was moved

Trustee Santee—"That the sketch plans for the new hospital building as submitted by the architect, Mr. Blakey, be approved, and that he be instructed to prepare a set of working plans and specifications, and that tenders be advertised for as soon as these plans will be available."—Carried.

Refreshments were served and a social hour spent before the evening was brought to a close. The Board then adjourned.

DEPARTING CHOR MEMBER RECEIVES TOKEN OF ESTEEM

On account of the departure of Mr. R. Gish and his family for Sedgewick this week the home of Mrs. H. Wallace was filled to capacity on the occasion of a presentation from the choir of Wainwright United Church to their former member. The address was read by Mrs. Doug. Brown and Mrs. G. Hudson handed to Mr. Gish a fountain pen with the best wishes of all connected with the choir. Refreshments were served to those in attendance, and vocal and instrumental music filled out a very pleasant gathering.

Mr. J. Kelly, of the Western Life Insurance company was in town for a few days over the week end.

Mr. Robert Gish, who has been holding the position of government geologist at the Calgary for many months, left on Monday last for Edmonton with his family. He will take his annual vacation.

MYSTERY WELL TO BE DRILLED; REAL DEEP TEST

What will be of great interest to all oil interests in Alberta, is the news that the Vancouver geologist, Mr. William Miller, has been given an opportunity to put his professional theories to the test.

He has persistently claimed that all the oil occurrences in Western Canada have their source in the underlying paleozoics, and that the cretaceous over-burden is petrologically sterile, being little more than a troublesome blanket.

He has persuaded a group of Vancouver capitalists to acquire the abandoned Imperial No. 1 well at Fabyan with 640 acres of oil leases, in order to clean the well out and deepen it to 4000 or 5000 feet in an effort to reach the middle Devonian which is the source of such prolific production at Fort Norman, as well as many of the Eastern States. The well originally reached a depth of 2800 feet, and encountered ten million feet of gas and a heavy oil similar to that produced in other wells in the Wainwright field.

Work is to commence on or about the 1st of May. The possibilities of striking a flow of high gravity oil are supported by opinions of many prominent geologists.

Mr. Harry Morris, formerly of Edmonton, and well-known in this field, was instrumental in closing the deal between the Grattan Oil Company Ltd. and the Vancouver interests, and in his great credit is due in this regard.

Messrs Pheasey and Batson, of Edmonton, had a gang of men working on the interior of the Park hotel for a while and this hostelry is now in splendid condition and ready for all comers.

CONNAUGHT CHAP. OFFICERS INSTALLED FOR ENSUING YEAR

At the regular meeting of Connaught chapter, O.E.S., on Thursday last the officers for the ensuing year were installed, Past Grand Master Sis. Kenny assisted by Grand Marshall Sis. Washburn conducting the ceremony.

The new officers in charge are: W.M.—Sis. A. Alderman

W.P.—Bro. J. Braccigirle

A.M.—Sis. E. Wallace

Con.—Sis. M. Bruner

A. Con.—Sis. L. Stott

Sec.—Sis. P. Cuthbertson

Treas.—Sis. J. Sutherland

Chap.—Sis. A. Yeager

Mar.—Sis. M. Turner

Org.—Sis. O. Western

Adah.—Sis. M. Lally

Ruth.—Sis. A. Adams

Esther.—Sis. G. Bean

Martha.—Sis. H. Cork

Electa.—Sis. J. Rogers

War.—Sis. G. Braccigirle

Sis. B. T. Lally

After the ceremony P.G.M. Sis. Kenny presented the retiring W.M. Sis. M. Turner with an official P.W. M's jewel, while Bro. Braccigirle received a P.P. insignia.

Both Sisters Kenny and Washburn were the recipients of a gift from the newly installed W.M. in appreciation of their most efficient assistance.

Refreshments were served and a social hour spent before the evening was brought to a close.

WAINWRIGHT WINS FROM VIKING IN FAST HOCKEY GAME

On Thursday last, Viking hockey team visited Wainwright to play a return match with the local sextette, and notwithstanding the fact that the game had to be played in the afternoon, a good sized crowd was on hand to witness the encounter and everybody was satisfied that they had received full value for their money.

At the opening of the season, a number of fans were convinced that as nearly all of last year's team had been removed there would be no hockey this year. However, we have always contended that there is still lots of material here for a good team (and that it only required a little assistance and support to round them into shape) and the game under notice proved these contentions were correct.

The teams were very evenly matched, and splendid hockey was dished up by both sides, although possibly the reason for the locals' win was the fact of their slight edge on their opponents in combination play.

The game was a high scoring affair, no less than 16 counters being chalked up during the session; Viking tallying seven and the locals nine—a score that just about indicates the play.

For the home team, Fred Lepper was high scoring ace, with four goals to his credit, in spite of the fact that he was checked by the fastest man on the ice, Aykroyd, and Spence were also very effective on the forward line, and both were robbed of a number of neat shots by the opposing goal-boys—Dave and Harry—were all to the good on the defence. Their cool blocking of the Viking forwards was a treat to watch, and their rushes were such as to send a chill along the spine of the real fan. Harry netted a goal on one of these occasions and assisted in another by a perfect pass. If these two players can be kept in the defence position (and with a little more experience) we will soon boast of the best defence anywhere on this line. Hunter in goal was effective, and cut down many a budding enterprise.

The subs, all did well, and McEwan scored a goal for the homeers.

The old war horse, Monty Hoskins was the star of the visitors, and had his team-mates given him the proper support, the score might have been different. Time after time he rushed the length of the ice, but with one to receive his pass he was up against a stone wall in the Lepper Bros. defence. Although at that, Monty managed to find the keep for three counters and was still going strong at the finish.

Kirby, Viking center, was the fastest skater on the ice, and his consistent back-checking broke many a Wainwright rush. In fact the forward line of the visitors—Kirby, Allen and Jones—all travelled at top speed, but relied too much on individual work.

The game was clean throughout, and Referee Cork had little difficulty in keeping the play well in hand. We can stand a lot of games such as this, and when these two teams again meet on local ice, they can rest assured of a good audience. The fans are now awake to the fact that there is a real team here—and all home-brothers at that.

The line up:

Viking	goal	Hunter
Gray	defence	H. Lepper
Hoskins	defence	D. Lepper
Hilliker	center	Aykroyd
Kirby	r. wing	Spence
Allen	l. wing	F. Lepper
Jones	subs.	Alderman
Dupre		Springer
Ross		

Referee—E. L. Cork.

Goal summary—Wainwright, 9; Lepper, 4; Aykroyd, 2; Spence, H. Lepper, Alderman.

Viking—Hoskins, 3; Allen, 2; Kirby, Jones.

***The Big Sale at Armstrong's is featuring a line of Groceries that cannot be beaten anywhere.

Supt. Jack Dous of the power plant was in the city last week with his son. The youngster was seeking medical treatment for his eye which was injured by a dart some weeks ago.

Mr. Owen Pigeon has been confined to his home by sickness for the past week.

***Thirty-five below isn't so bad if your coat and wood shed is full of supplies from the Atlas yard. Don't get caught napping, when the mercury drops!

OIL PROSPECTING RESULTS PROVING VERY ENCOURAGING

Dr. Charles Cammell, deputy minister, department of mines, Ottawa, has forwarded the following interesting article—

The petroleum oil fields that have so far been found and developed in Canada have produced, during a period of 65 years, some 27,000,000 barrels of crude petroleum, or less than 2 1/2 per cent of the present annual world output.

It is evident that, in Canada, oil fields have not yet been found that may be compared in extent of output with the great oil fields of other parts of the world. Intensive prospecting is under way at the present time, the results of which, particularly those of the Turner Valley field in Alberta with its phenomenal individual well output of light oils and gases are highly encouraging, and indicate possibilities for the future discovery of natural oils in great volume.

Canada, however, is rich in potential resources of oil which will undoubtedly be utilized when the world's petroleum fields begin to show actually serious diminution of output and approaching exhaustion.

Processes for the complete liquefaction of coal by means of high pressures and temperatures and by catalytic action were prominent in the papers and addresses presented at the recent International Conference on Bituminous Coal held at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, U.S.A. Indeed the outstanding feature of this meeting is reported to have been a practically unanimous conclusion that the solid fuels, including the bituminous and lignite coals of all kinds, will, when natural petroleum sources are exhausted, prove to be the principal sources of oil. This conclusion is of the greatest significance to Canada in view of the country's enormous coal resources.

The rapidly increasing demand for liquid fuels of all descriptions, coupled with the threatened depletion of the natural oil resources of the United States, from which Canada derives the major portion of her oil supplies, has already directed attention to the enormous bituminous sand deposits of the province of Alberta and the oil shale areas of the Maritime Provinces. The development and perfection of cracking processes, which make it possible to recover high percentages of motor spirits and other oils from petroleum residuum, the bitumen of bituminous sand and shale oil, has brought into prominence the possibility of utilizing the bituminous sands of Alberta and the oil shales of the Maritime Provinces for the manufacture of such petroleum oil products. It has been estimated that the bituminous sands of Alberta can supply raw material for manufacturing motor spirits and other oils sufficient to supply the demands of the world for many years. The oil shale resources of the Maritime Provinces, though they have not been examined in sufficient detail to permit of even a rough estimate of their total oil content, are believed to be of enormous extent. These great resources in coal, bitumen and oil shale thus constitute most valuable assets as potential resources of oil.

ANNUAL BALANCE SHEET ST. THOMAS IS SATISFACTORY

The annual congregational meeting of St. Thomas church was held on Thursday evening last with a fairly representative attendance.

The financial statement presented by the people's warden, Mr. H. Smart showed a very satisfactory income considering the number of subscribers, and equally encouraging were the reports presented by the other organizations of this denomination.

The annual election of officers of the church resulted as follows:

Vicar's warden—Mr. M. Carrell.

Vestry—Messrs H. Smart, G. McKeever, E. Rivers, W. Milne, Armstrong, F. Harrington, H. Montgomery, and Mrs. McKeever, Mrs. Arkwright and Mrs. Coleman.

Synod delegates—Mr. G. McKeever, with C. Lally as substitute.

We are informed that Mr. and Mrs. Fieldhouse are arranging to leave for a month's trip to Vancouver and other coastal points.

Miss H. Aykroyd is away to this city on a visit to friends there.

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Tracked By The Police

Novel by—WILLIAM B. COURTNEY
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Bros. production of this novel.

(Continued from last week.)

Jimmy with a severe look, the while
he addressed O'Brien."You are to be commended, Cap-
tain, for taking decisive action, even
though you naturally must feel extra
badly because this young man is the
son of your old friend and com-
rade. But such practices must be
rooted out, whoever's head may fall.
I sincerely hope that an investigation
will prove Ford innocent, but count
on me, Captain, to aid in every pos-
sible way to get at the truth of this."
Jimmy could control his rage no
longer. "You dirty, lying, sneaking
hypocrite," he blazed, "I believe you're
at the bottom of this whole frame-
up! You put Nell up to this. I guess
she's your woman."Murtagh gave a convincing demon-
stration of a man of honor. "O'Brien
flew to his aid sharply. "Sergeant
Ford, hold a civil tongue in your
fool head. You don't know what
you're saying!""Damn him, I know very well what
I'm saying! Jimmy's fevered tongue
was entirely uncontrolled and uncon-
trollable. Maddened by the smug
pretence of virtue on Murtagh's face,
absolutely certain that the man was
responsible, all the venom and hatred
that had been brewing within
Jimmy's heart since his father's murder,
binned out in wild accusations
of one, as you were of my father. He
knew you, saw through the rotten,
two-faced rat you are. You murdered
my father. Dan Murtagh, you
murdered him!"Jimmy's voice rose to a scream.
Beside himself, he leaped upon Mur-
tagh, holding at him furiously. Cap-
tain O'Brien and Lieutenant McPar-
land seized him, drew him back
from the white-faced Murtagh, pia-
oned his flailing arms.Others had come in now; guests
employed. Through the crowd rose
Rinty, and leaped to Jimmy's side.
He had heard his Master's fighting
yells, and had come up the stairs in
great bounds. The sight of Rinty
calmed Jimmy a bit, and none too
fortunately, because the great dog,
seeing O'Brien and McParland grap-
pling with him, had instantly calen-
lated that they were attacking him,
and with a roaring snarl jumped
straight for O'Brien's throat. Jimmy
caught the dog, wrestled him down.
He knew now that he had to con-
trol himself, in order to control Rinty,
and keep him from tearing some
of these people to pieces.Murtagh, displeased but trying to
save his face in front of these people
who had heard the indiscreet accu-
sations from Jimmy's barred mouth,
declared to O'Brien."The kindest thing I can say for
your man, Captain, is that he has
gone crazy. I'll be down to the sta-
tion house to see you about this
later. Meanwhile, I'm going straight
to the Commissioner." With that,
Murtagh quit the room, looking back
fearfully over his shoulder at Rinty.
"Ford, hand over your gun!" The
Captain was facing him coldly.
Jimmy, leaning into a hard-breathing
and futile fatalism, did as he was
bid. Then the Captain nose two gen-
tly plucked off his shield—the coveted
gold shield which Jimmy's bravery
had won. Jimmy felt as though it
were his heart that had been pluck-
ed out. "Lieutenant, place Ford un-
der arrest, pending investigation and
trial."The Captain, very red of face and
very sore of heart, turned abruptly
and left the room. McParland laid
a heavy hand on Jimmy's shoulder.
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trial."The crowd of curious onlookers,
extending from the apartment lobby
into the hall outside, parted silently
to let McParland and Jimmy and
Rinty through. The dog, in particu-
lar, gave a wide berth, for
Rinty was pacing along like a leath-
er, maddened panther—his eyes red
and fiery, his shaggy coat on end,
the picture of protective belligerence.
Jimmy did even deign to look back
at New York Nell. Her part in the
rotten scheme was finished. What
use to glare at her?When they were on the street,
Jimmy looked gloomily into Lieuten-
ant McParland's austere face. "Sure-ly, you don't believe I shook down
that woman?""It looks bad, Ford,"
Chapter 12The disciplinary machinery of the
great police department moves swift-
ly and without fear or favor. With-
in a few days after the adventure in
Barker's "Hotel, Sergeant Jimmy
Ford had become plain civilian Jim-
my Ford—dismissed in disgrace. Dis-
honored by the Force to which he
had but lately brought glory. Dis-
credited with the public in whose in-
terest and safety he had concentra-
ted his young manhood and risked his
life. Disowned morally by the Cap-
tain, friend of his father's heart, who
had fostered him so abidingly. Dis-
favored by his comrades in blue. In
disgrace with everyone. Such was
Jimmy Ford's sad lot. Life was
black indeed for him now, without
hope.But stay, he was not in disgrace
with quite everyone. Some there
were who placed the evidence of
their hearts and souls in its right
ful place above the mere mental show
of circumstantial evidence. The stern
little Mottler, for instance, who
although her shoulders shrank a little
under the merciless notoriety of the
affair, bore herself proudly, and
looked straight into the eyes of her
Jim's portrait, and therein found the
certitude and the peace of unshaken
faith in their boy. Flaherty, who
heavily, "dreadful" charges, the
words erupting almost incoherently
through his lips, which were as a
crater to the volcano of his soul.
"You devil, you're behind the Busters.
They're your tools. You put them
up to get me out of the way, as you
did my father, because you're afraid
of me, as you were of my father. He
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save his face in front of these people
who had heard the indiscreet accu-
sations from Jimmy's barred mouth,
declared to O'Brien."The kindest thing I can say for
your man, Captain, is that he has
gone crazy. I'll be down to the sta-
tion house to see you about this
later. Meanwhile, I'm going straight
to the Commissioner." With that,
Murtagh quit the room, looking back
fearfully over his shoulder at Rinty.
"Ford, hand over your gun!" The
Captain was facing him coldly.
Jimmy, leaning into a hard-breathing
and futile fatalism, did as he was
bid. Then the Captain nose two gen-
tly plucked off his shield—the coveted
gold shield which Jimmy's bravery
had won. Jimmy felt as though it
were his heart that had been pluck-
ed out. "Lieutenant, place Ford un-
der arrest, pending investigation and
trial."The Captain, very red of face and
very sore of heart, turned abruptly
and left the room. McParland laid
a heavy hand on Jimmy's shoulder.
"In an instant, Rinty was rearing up
toward his Master with a hard-breath-
ing and futile fatalism, did as he was
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tly plucked off his shield—the coveted
gold shield which Jimmy's bravery
had won. Jimmy felt as though it
were his heart that had been pluck-
ed out. "Lieutenant, place Ford un-
der arrest, pending investigation and
trial."The crowd of curious onlookers,
extending from the apartment lobby
into the hall outside, parted silently
to let McParland and Jimmy and
Rinty through. The dog, in particu-
lar, gave a wide berth, for
Rinty was pacing along like a leath-
er, maddened panther—his eyes red
and fiery, his shaggy coat on end,
the picture of protective belligerence.
Jimmy did even deign to look back
at New York Nell. Her part in the
rotten scheme was finished. What
use to glare at her?When they were on the street,
Jimmy looked gloomily into Lieuten-
ant McParland's austere face. "Sure-

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THE DRAYMAN

a man as Ward Boss Murtagh. "Why,
he came to the Bank last night and
sat and talked with me for two hours
and him with tears in his voice, that
had you hurt him."What James Allen did not know
was that while Murtagh had kept him
engaged in conversation, as a blind,
Bottleneck and Kid Twist had sneak-
ed into the bank and made a com-
plete survey of its vault layout and
its protective alarm wiring and police
signal system! But that is anticipat-"Yes," said Allen plaintively, "you're
a fool, girl, to be turning a cold
shoulder to a fine man. And it's your
old father you'll be doing the most
hurt to. For I shouldn't wonder if
Mr. Murtagh, if you continue to turn
him against us, will have me discharg-
ed.""Father!" Ruth cried indignantly.
"Do you realize what you're asking?
That I sell myself to that old oilcan
so you can hang on by the skin of
your teeth to a miserable job in the
bank!""I must have a job, girl. We must
eat.""Rather starve than let my body
be the price of that man's favor!"
cried Ruth, bursting into tears. An
act that completed the vague and
faint dream of James Allen. Just like
all women. Just like her mother.
Tears, Touchy. Such funny stuck-up
ideas. Unconsciously, he went to bed
and slept his childlike, fretful sleep
the greater part of the day.He was still harping on the matter
when Ruth gave him his supper be-
fore he left for the Bank that even-
ing. But Ruth was more composed
now. She had decided that the in-
decency of his proposal, that she
would accept Murtagh so that he
would not lose his job, was only ap-
parent—he did not really understand
it as he sounded. In all his thin, self-
ish life James Allen had probably
never understood a single essentially
feminine trait, although he was so
initimately feminine in his physical
make-up. Ruth found herself feeling
sorry for her dead mother.Yet, Ruth loved her father. For all
his querulousness, his lack of under-
standing, he had stood up between
her and orphanage in a cold world
these many years. She kissed him
tenderly as she handed him his lunch-
tin—a snack he would eat at mid-
night. Not masculine. Not strong.
But still—her father. She clung to
him a moment, pitying his weakness,
his aimlessness, his helplessness in
life. People—men—like him were buff-
eted chips."I'd feel so much safer," she de-
clared wistfully, "if only I knew
that Jimmy and Rinty were on the
job.""Forget Jimmy! That was the most
of her father's farewell. And she felt
doubly sorry for him because his
emotional conceptions and sympathies
were so narrow, so warped."Forget Jimmy! She laughed muci-
ally to herself as her lone, cool, slim
white arms bustled over the supper
dishes. Jimmy, the embittered idol of
her heart. He would be here soon,
now. She was hurrying to be ready
for him—to have everything cleared
away, and cleaned up, and tidied. And
to be prim and calm and prettified
herself.Time he was here now! Rocking,
humming, bright-faced—waiting for
the knocking, the familiar tapping.
Poor Jimmy. He needed cheering
these nights. Needed comforting and
inspiring and encouraging until he
could find a job and make a fresh
start. Things were delayed for them
now. No matter. It was as hard for
him as for her. And it would be the
sweeter when won at last—that bliss-
ful moment before Father Chancy.And of course, somehow, somehow,
Jimmy would be vindicated.Late! Fifteen minutes. An hour.
The bright smile had long since faded.
The calm prettiness had wilted
in fretfulness. Two hours. Now she
was fluid in tears and loneliness.A knock. She flew to the door.
Jimmy. Yes, but his Mother, too!
"Why, Jimmy, why were you so late?
Oh, what—Oh, hello, Mrs. Ford—
what—what—why what's the matter?"Jimmy's strong, browned hands
clapped Ruth, giving her strength
at least against. "I've had news for
you, Ruthie. There's been a robbery
at the Bank. A big job. The police
say the Hudson Busters did it. And
they've done to you what they did
to me. Your father fought bravely,
but they—killed him!"Ruth, swaying moments. Then
wistfully eager, in low, steady tones.
"Fought—you say—""Yes, dear. Fought bravely. Like a
lion. Knocked out two of the Busters
with his watchman's club. They
were captured. That's how the police
know who did it. Even after he was
shot he managed to stagger to the
window, and break it, and yell an
alarm. Brave! Say, your Dad died a
hero."And mixed with Ruth's sobs of
grief was a strange tinge of Spar-
tan joy!

CHAPTER 13

Meanwhile, to go back a little, Cap-
tain O'Brien that same afternoon had
come to the end of his patience with
regard to his balking special officer,
Rin-Tin-Tin. Mutiny and insubordin-
ation were two things that the sturdy
Captain tolerated about as much and
as long as he would a cocklebur in
his pajamas. But the sight of Rinty
sitting or stalking forlornly around
the station house all day, watching
only a chance to get out so that he
could leg it home, had got on the
Captain's peppy nerves. Besides, it
was not good for discipline that any-
one—man cop or dog cop—should re-
duce the matter of Precinct routine
to his own personal likes and dis-
likes.Therefore, Rinty had to be made
to work—or had to be discharged
from the Force. The Captain, who
had never lost a moral battle in his
whole life of authority, was not one
to know to, or humor, a dog—
even so lovable, withal stubborn, a
dog as Rinty. Accordingly, he had
given instructions that day that when
Sergeant Flaherty came off duty at
six o'clock he was not to take Rinty
home; but that Rinty was to be con-
fined in the tiny, four-walled square
courtyard in back of the Precinct
Station House until such time as he
became amenable to routine and con-
sented to go out on patrol with one
of the cops.One by one, each cop in the Pre-
dict had endeavored to "make up
to" Rinty and win his partnership.
And one by one Rinty had superci-
ously ignored them; or, in the
case of too arbitrary coaxing, had
shown a hint of his fangs. Just a bit
of bravado on the sly fellow's part,
but it had worked.On this particular night, long after
Flaherty and his shift had gone home
and the night men were on post, Rinty
looked disconsolately in his prison
yard; nipped at animals, Rinty was a
creature of habit. He knew that this
was the time for him to be in. The
cheerful little dog, eating supper,
frolicking with his loved ones. It
hurt him dreadfully to be shut off
thus, without companionship or food,
in the dark. Several times Captain O'Brien came out, each time with a
different cop, and talked to Rinty,
scolded him, argued with him; tried
to make him see the error of his dog-
gish ways. But Rinty had just turned
his back to the Captain, and laid
down, and pretended to be asleep.
The climax of each such interview had
been—

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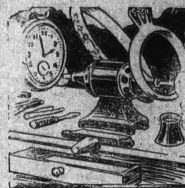
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The light that through
 The ages gleams,
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 The ancient race,
 That gave humanity
 Her dreams,
 Is mirrored in
 His keen dark face.
 He smiles our story
 Hearts to tears,
 And then, one fleeting
 Moment after,
 He lifts the burden
 Of the years
 With swift light feet,
 And soars
 In a life
 So bright and brief,
 With such sure art
 He makes us feel,
 The hidden depths
 Of truth and grief,
 What must the future
 Years reveal!

THE EXAMINER'S WEEKLY REVIEW OF PROV. MARKETS

CATTLE
 DEER—Trade was moderately ac-
 tive at Edmonton and choice heavy
 steers brought from \$6.50 to \$7.00; choice
 light \$6.00 to \$6.50; good \$5.50 to \$6.00;
 medium \$5.00 to \$5.50; common \$4.50 to \$5.00.
 Choice heifers \$5.50 to \$6.00; good
 \$4.75 to \$5.25; choice cows \$4.25 to
 \$4.75; good \$3.75 to \$4.25; medium \$3.25
 to \$3.75; common \$2.75 to \$3.25.
 Choice bulls \$3.00 to \$3.25;
 medium \$2.50 to \$2.75; canners from
 \$2 up. Choice calves \$8.00 to \$10.00;
 common \$3.00 to \$5.00. FEEDERS, STOCK-
 ERS—Feeder steers brought from
 \$3.25 to \$4.50; stock steers \$2.50 to \$4.00;
 stock heifers \$2.50 to \$3.50; stock cows
 \$2.50 to \$3.25.

HOGS
 Edmonton values declined and
 thick smooths brought from \$11.25 to
 \$11.50, with 10 per cent premium on
 bacon.

SHEEP
 Market conditions show little
 change at Edmonton.

GRAIN
 Trading was better on the Winni-
 peg exchange on Wednesday, owing
 to strength in Chicago being reflected
 on "Pex" trade. Prices were higher
 and firm at the close.

CREAM—BUTTER—CHEESE
 CREAM—Prices are holding steady
 and receipts continue to be light.
 There was some talk of raising prices
 on Monday of this week, but this
 has not materialized so far. CREAM-
 ERY BUTTER—Quotations are un-
 changed and supply is gradually de-
 creasing. Coat market dropped 2c
 on prints and 10c on solids. This
 may affect local markets, but not im-
 mediately. Eastern market holding
 about steady. DAIRY BUTTER—Of-
 ferings only amount to few pounds
 per week as bulk of butterfat is be-
 ing shipped to creameries. Values
 holding at firm levels and demand is
 good. CHEESE—Local market re-
 ports steady prices. Eastern trade quiet
 but undertone firm.

POULTRY—EGGS
 POULTRY—Receipts very light
 while trade seems drab after re-
 cent holiday activities. Chickens are
 steady and being cut in price. Good
 demand for fresh killed fowl but there
 are only limited offerings being
 handled so that active trading is cur-
 tailed. EGGS—B.C. and States eggs
 handled on market. The former are
 worth \$14.50 while the latter bring
 around \$14 per case for standard
 firsts. Demand is good and supplies
 clean up readily. Few local eggs of-
 fered. Another car is expected to ar-
 rive from across this week.

POTATOES
 Receipts continue light and de-
 mand is confined chiefly to small
 lots purchased by housewives. Job-
 bers quote \$22 to \$25 per ton deliv-
 ered on Alberta grown stocks.

HAY—GREENFEED—OATS
 HAY—Country point buyers report
 increasing supplies, with demand on
 the whole moderately active. Trade a
 little slow in southern part of prov-
 ince for farmers are feeding out and
 wheat bales to animals, but this
 is not expected to last long as sup-
 plies are decreasing. B.C. shippers supply-
 ing mixed timothy and clover hay
 to Banff buyers at low cost. City
 traders find receipts slow with de-
 mand good. All prices steady.
 GREENFEED—Receipts not over
 large but increasing. Demand is also
 fairly active so that supplies moving
 readily at firm levels. OATS—Light
 offerings are tending business in
 this market as inquiries are good.
 Quotations range from 46¢ to 48¢ for
 best stuff.

HIDES
 Receipts continue light and de-
 mand is confined chiefly to small
 lots purchased by housewives. Job-
 bers quote \$22 to \$25 per ton deliv-
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Receipts are light, while demand is
 not over large; steady prices are be-
 ing maintained, however. Increase in
 supplies anticipated by some quarters
 of trade.

PURS
 Market developed waiting attitude
 for both shippers and buyers hold-
 ing off until results of Winnipeg sale
 which opened Tuesday, becomes
 known. Coyote inclined to be weaker
 on local markets.

BULLETIN FROM PROVINCIAL GOV.T

New Minister of Public Works
 The announcement was made last
 week of the retirement of Hon. Alex.
 Ross, minister of public works, for
 the past five years, and the appoint-
 ment of Hon. O. L. McPherson.
 Speaker of the house to the por-
 tfolio. The portfolio of labor will be
 taken for the present by Premier
 Brownlee. Hon. W. McPherson has
 been speaker of the legislature since
 1922 and is a prominent farmer near
 Vulcan, in Southern Alberta.

New Deputy Minister of Health
 Announcement is made by Hon.
 Geo. Headley, minister of public
 health, of the appointment of Dr. Mal-
 colm, of Regina, Sask., to the posi-
 tion of deputy minister of health for
 Alberta, filling the vacancy created
 by the death of Dr. Laidlaw. Dr.
 Bow will take over his duties at
 once. He is a graduate of Queen's
 University and held the position of
 assistant pathologist and bacteriolo-
 gist for the provincial laboratory at
 Regina, and since 1912 has been
 medical health officer for the city of
 Regina, and since 1920 has been su-
 perintendent of the general hospital
 there. Dr. Bow also holds the degree
 of doctor of public health from Tor-
 onto University. He is about 40 years
 of age. His appointment has been
 made by the Alberta government af-
 ter thorough canvass of the Alberta
 possibilities. Dr. Bow has spent most
 of his professional life in public health
 work, and is thoroughly conversant
 with activities along this line. He
 comes highly recommended to his
 government with respect to his abili-
 ty, tact and administrative capacity.

Attendance at Agricultural Schools
 An unprecedented attendance at
 Olds agricultural school is recorded
 during this term, some 199 students
 having been enrolled. This is by far
 the largest attendance in the history
 of the school, and exhausts the ca-
 pacity of the institution. The attendance
 at the other three schools operating
 is also good.

Wool Growers to Meet in Alberta
 For the first time in its history the
 annual convention of the Canadian
 Co-operative Wool Growers, with
 headquarters at Toronto, will meet in
 the West this year, Lethbridge, Al-
 bert, having been selected as the
 place of meeting, at the end of March.

Dairy Products
 The creamery butter production in
 Alberta during 1926 was somewhat
 higher than that in 1925, the estimate
 for the past season being 20,750,000
 lbs. compared with 19,630,000 in 1925.
 Owing to the fact that the price
 levels were somewhat lower than the
 previous year, however, the total
 value of dairy products will show a
 decrease.

Prepares for Seed Fair
 Preparations are now going forward
 for the annual provincial seed fair
 which is to be held in Edmonton,
 January 18 to 21. Special speakers
 have been arranged for the meeting of
 the seed growers, and instructive
 talks will be given. There will also be
 special exhibits shown.

Deputy Attorney-General Resigns
 The resignation of Deputy At-
 torney-General R. A. Smith has been
 received and accepted by the pro-
 vincial government. He has been with
 the attorney-general's department for
 five years, first as chief solicitor and

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Hand No. 1
 Hearts—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
 Clubs—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
 Diamonds—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
 Spades—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
 No score, rubber game. Z dealt and
 after his partner denies the suit, but
 there is a chance for game in no-trump.
 Y has the queen, six of clubs and
 possibly two aces. The bid of two
 diamonds seems the next best bid but
 the danger is that the bid may be left
 in. A double is bad as it gives the sit-
 uation away. One correspondent has
 suggested a two spade bid, saying it
 would probably be doubled and thus
 give a good chance for game. It is a
 clever suggestion and might work out
 but how can you be sure of a double?
 All in all the writer prefers the no-
 trump bid.

Hand No. 2
 Hearts—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
 Clubs—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
 Diamonds—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
 Spades—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
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Hand No. 3
 Hearts—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
 Clubs—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
 Diamonds—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
 Spades—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
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Hand No. 4
 Hearts—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
 Clubs—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
 Diamonds—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
 Spades—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
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 clever suggestion and might work out
 but how can you be sure of a double?
 All in all the writer prefers the no-
 trump bid.

Hand No. 5
 Hearts—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
 Clubs—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
 Diamonds—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
 Spades—A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
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 trump bid.

Hand No. 6
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A Child's First \$100
 First save a Dollar
 Then take it to the Bank
 You will get a Bank Book
 And have a Savings Account
 And if you keep adding to it
 Your money will grow to \$100.00
 Any boy or girl can save it by
 following this plan.

The Royal Bank of Canada
 Wainwright Branch
 G. C. Siddall, Manager

WAINWRIGHT AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY
THE POSTPONED
ANNUAL MEETING

will be held in the COUNCIL CHAMBER on
SATURDAY JAN. 22nd, 1927
 when the Election of Officers and other Important Matters will be
 on the Agenda.

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TWO O'CLOCK SHARP

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 Farm Lands, Town Property,
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Good Rooms
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 Meals At All Hours
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 A DANDY 1924 FOUR CYLINDER
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THIS IS A PEACH OF A BUY, AND EVERYTHING IS IN
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CASH PRICES

Blue Ribbon Baking Powder, 1lb	25¢	3lbs	65¢	5lbs	\$1.00
Blue Ribbon Tea	1lb	75¢	3lbs	\$2.15	
Blue Ribbon Coffee	1lb	70¢	3lbs	\$2.05	
Walton Special Tea	1lb	60¢	3lbs	\$1.75	
Rio Coffee	1lb	50¢	3lbs	\$1.45	
Dutch Cocoa	1lb	25¢	3lbs	70¢	
Tomatoes 2 1/2 lbs				15¢	
Beans			4lbs or 25¢		
Brooms			55¢ & 85¢		
Pineapple, 2s			20¢	6 for \$1.00	
Salmon			20¢	6 for \$1.10	
Pilchard			15¢	7 for \$1.00	
Libby's Pork and Beans			2 for 25¢		
Prunes			5lbs for 70¢		
Ginger, preserved in jars			40¢		
Raisins			5lbs for 85¢		
Vine Salt			5lbs for 90¢		
Tomato Catsup, cans			15¢		
Honey			5lbs for 85¢		
Rogers Golden Syrup			5lbs for 45¢		
Lard			3lbs for 75¢		
Pumpkin, 2s			15¢		
Strawberry Jam			4lbs for 75¢		
Black Currant Jam			4lbs for 75¢		
Loganberry Jam			65¢		
Greengrass Jam			53¢		
Sugar			10s	80¢	

Walton's Grocery

MAIN STREET WAINWRIGHT

WANTED

TO PURCHASE FOR SPOT CASH
ONE DOZEN HEATERS
HALF DOZEN RANGES
DRESSERS, WASHSTANDS
KITCHEN CABINET & SOME SMALL TABLES

WE HAVE ON HAND
WINDOW BLINDS, SPRINGS & MATTRESSES
DANDY DAISY BUTTER CHURN
BLUE BELL CREAM SEPARATOR
BOTH IN FIRST-CLASS CONDITION

The Second Hand Store
(OPPOSITE FIRE HALL)

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7 Wonderful Features yet
Moderate in price

Only D-C Radio Offers
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1. Exclusive Wheatstone Bridge principle of balance completely eliminates squealing or howling.
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3. Now all-metal shielded chassis shuts out local interference and unwanted stations.
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6. Grand Master Cabinets by McLagan add new beauty and distinction to radio.
7. All features of design expressly engineered to meet Canadian conditions.

Here are the features that have set all the town talking about this remarkable new radio—its startling performance, its distinctive beauty, its moderate price. You owe it to yourself to hear and see this set—in your home, if you wish.

Model C-5 Console Illustrated

\$35.00

Delivered to you complete.

Balance on easy terms.

We can now offer you all the qualities once exclusive to high priced sets for a small investment. Convenient terms arranged on any set. Come in to-day.

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The perfect expression of Cognac in all its rarest and most fascinating quality.

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WAINWRIGHT, ALBERTA, JANUARY 19th, 1927

ALBERTA LEADS ALL PROVINCES IN OIL PRODUCTION

Alberta has now been officially recognized as the largest oil producing province in the Dominion and during the past year has produced more oil than all the rest of Canada combined.

This condition has been brought about by the remarkable output of Royalite Naphtha well No. 4 which is controlled by the Imperial Oil Company in Turner Valley, by the steadily growing output of crude oil from wells in the Wainwright field and by production from other wells in the northern part of the province.

The Wainwright field is the only part of Alberta where crude oil has been found in more than one well in commercial quantities. The wells in Turner Valley produce naphtha (practically pure gasoline) but no crude oil has so far been discovered in the southern field. The several completed wells in the Wainwright or northern field, have produced many hundreds of thousands of gallons of crude oil which has been refined and sold off the open market during the past year. If present production is maintained and wells now drilling and planned for 1927 are brought in, oil production in Alberta will have become one of our thriving industries along with agriculture, mining, and lumbering.

THE BEST WAY NOT TO DO IT

If you want bad business prepare a little speech about hard times and recite it to every person that comes along. Tell everybody how hard times are. Hang crepe on your door. Put the map of misery on your face. Express doubt about the future, pour cold water on every movement to build up the community. Magnify your own troubles and the evils of the day, and tell how 'nice' you try to be to people and how 'rough' they treat you. Knock your opposition, the worst sinner on earth, then go down to the Old Man river and jump in. With the passing of Alex. Ross from Alta. cabinet, Labor lost the only representative it had in the council of the government. With several strong Labor representatives to choose from, it seems strange that the government ignored this group and ap-

pointed a Farmer to the post formerly held by a Labor man. What price co-operation?

The biggest thing we can do for Wainwright during 1927 is to live in it, work in it, buy in it, play in it, trust in it, and boast for it. The results are sure. Mere population beauty, convenience, wealth and natural surroundings are fine, but it takes initiative to make things go.

A popular phrase is that it takes 'men, money and method' to carry out the objects of organized communities. The main thing, therefore, in all public endeavor is to get 'good' men, ample funds, and right purposes. The rest comes easily.

The idea is rather general that the chief cause of life is to work for a living. Thinking men know that work is the salvation of the race, morally, physically, socially. Work does more than set us on our living; it sets us on our life.

KEEP YOUR FOOT ON THE CLUTCH

Keep your foot on the clutch despite what experts tell you to the contrary. If the traffic is great, keep your foot on the clutch. Don't take unnecessary chances on the highway or in the street; glide over the bumps, thus saving your machinery, and don't forget your brake. Caution is the first law of good sense; when it has to do with forty-horse-power. Approaching an intersection, remember clutch and brake.

Youths makes daring drives. They go so rapidly and easily, with fearlessness and nonchalance. But they have an undue share of accidents because they don't think enough of clutch and brake. Oh, yes! there are disasters through confusion, and timidity; but they are not the disasters of the young driver. Nine-tenths of the wrecks come from going too fast. A good driver will keep control of his machine at all times. He can stop quickly but without a shock. He can go slow, as he must when others, who can be endangered by his fast driving but can step on the gas and leap ahead when there is an opportunity. The person who controls his power all

FORM "C" THE DOMESTIC ANIMALS ACT (Municipalities) Sale and Redemption of Impounded Animals (Sec. 48)

Notice is hereby given under Section 48 of The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that—1. Sorrell filly, rising 2 year old, white spot on forehead; no visible brand. 2. Bay gelding aged. No visible brand. Black points on all feet. 3. Sorrell gelding, about 9 years old. White strip on face, branded "W in Triangle" on left shoulder was impounded in the pound kept by J. Allison, located on the South West quarter Section, 15, Township 46, Range 5 West of 4th Meridian, on the 28th day of December, 1926, and that the said animal was sold on the 11th day of January 1927 to: 1. Kenny Harris of Gilt Edge; 2. Norman Taylor of Gilt Edge; 3. Robert Thomas of Wainwright, and that animals may be redeemed by the owner or on his behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in The Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the municipality and the purchaser of said animal.

For information apply to the undersigned.
FRANK C. HORN, sec.-treas.
M.D. of Gilt Edge, No. 422
Post office, Wainwright 19-1

the time is the one who has the opportunities, which in the heavy traffic of life are fleeting and momentary. The man who has learned is the one who knows, and the one who knows is the one who has opportunities. When one is in no position to take advantage, it is not an opportunity for him. Therefore the disciplining of the mental powers in the putting of the hand and foot on the various controls of life.

Many lives are wrecked by even a momentary loss of control. It is quite the custom to blame some other driver. It is possible for an automobile to be wrecked by the carelessness of some other man than the one driving it, and for a life to be ruined by the fault of another; but it is exceedingly rare. When such a calamity occurs it is to one who has lost control of his machine, if but for a moment.

Keep your foot on the clutch!

Nova Scotia Noted For Its Hunting Facilities



Reports of excellent big game hunting in Nova Scotia this season have been received at the tourist department of the Canadian Pacific Railway in Montreal. Hunters have returned with tales of super-moose, seemingly endowed with more than usual cunning, thus adding to the interest in this sport. A large section of the interior is a maze of beautiful lakes, woods and streams where moose are plentiful despite the fact that about 1,200 bulls are killed by hunters each year between October 1st and November 15th, the open season. Cow moose and young calves are protected. Water approaches to the hunting grounds are but a short motor-ride from Digby and Annapolis Royal on the Dominion Atlantic Railway.

Many hunters penetrate the wilderness by canoe from south Milford at the head of the Liverpool chain of lakes, or by motor truck which transports hunters, guides, outfit and canoes to Kegonsakages and other haunts of the moose. Some of the best guides are the Micmac Indians, there being also plenty of efficient white guides at Del Thomas's South Milford Camp and Kegonsakages. But one bull moose may be bagged each season by a hunter. The majority of moose are killed each year in 13 of the 15 counties. Moose and caribou are plentiful on Cape Breton Island but the hunting of these animals at the present time is prohibited on the island. Bear and wildcat, for which there is no closed season, roam the woods of Nova Scotia. Ruffed grouse, woodcock, snipe, wild geese and many other varieties of small game are plentiful and afford the hunter every opportunity of an excellent hunting holiday. The province too is a mecca for the angler. The many streams and lakes abound with salmon and trout. Off the coast tuna, cod, haddock, pollock and flounder fishing is extensively indulged in.

Watch 'Em Eat Heartily!

The weather has you guessing as to what would tempt the folks to eat, madam? Well—if you want to see nothing but the bones left on their plates, just serve 'em one of our savory, tender Steaks or a few of our tasty Chops!

Alma Meat Market

PETRIE & PERRAS, Props.

MAIN STREET

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& HUDSON BAY LANDS

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Don't forget to get a KILLAM IMPROVED GAS BURNER for your heater or furnace. It is the dope! Ask the man who uses one!

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F. W. FISH, Proprietor.

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Sale Commences
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ARMSTRONG'S

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SAT FEB 5

MID-WINTER SALE

Men's Fine Suits

GUARANTEED VALUES

Men's and young men's well-tailored Suits in hard wearing Tweeds and Worsted; in neat checks and striped patterns. Sizes 36 to 44.

TWEED SUITS Reg. to \$25.00 Mid-Winter Sale Price **\$15.75**

BLUE SERGE & TWEED SUITS Reg. to \$31.00 Mid-Winter Sale Price **22.75**

BLUE SERGE & WORSTED SUITS Reg. to \$36.50 Mid-Winter Sale Price **29.75**

Men's Mackinaw Coats

G.W.G. guaranteed Mackinaw Coats in full Norfolk Style, with heavy mackinaw lining, and inner lined with moleskin.

Reg. price \$14.25. REPRICED for Clearance at **\$9.95**

Men's Heavy Pants

Men's Heavy Winter Pants, including Mackinaws, Heavy Tweeds, and G.W.G. Moleskin. Sizes 32 to 44. Reg. to \$4.75. **CLEARING PRICE**

\$3.25

Men's Overcoats

Tailored from heavy all-wool Checked Backed Coating and Tweeds. Reg. Value to \$28.75.

Coats with leather-lined yokes, reg. \$32.50

3 only Balacava Irish Fleece Coats, reg. \$49.50

Mid-Winter Sale Price. **\$17.50 to \$37.75**

50 PAIRS LADIES & CHILDRENS SHOES at 95c per pair

this lot includes values that were sold regularly at \$6.50. NOW REPRICED FOR CLEARANCE

Starting Saturday January 22nd we will clear all lines of winter goods at Substantial Reductions. Read every item and note the great savings for you.

Underwear

Men & Boys
AT CLEARING PRICES

Men's Tiger Brand Heavy all-wool combination. Sizes 40 to 46. Reg. to \$4.25.

Mid-Winter Sale Price. **\$2.95**

Men's Tiger Brand Extra Heavy all-wool SHIRTS & DRAWERS. Reg. to \$3.50 per garment.

Mid-Winter Sale Price. **\$2.25**

Boys' Heavy all-wool COMBINATION. Sizes 24 to 32. Reg. \$2.35.

Mid-Winter Sale Price. **\$1.95**

Men's Silver Fleece Lined SHIRTS & DRAWERS. To clear at per garment

\$1.15

Men's Fleece Lined COMBINATIONS at per garment

\$1.65

Our Shoe Dept.

OFFERS REAL VALUES

Men's fine quality Dress Shoes and Oxfords in black or brown or kid leather. Made in most popular lasts; all good-year welted soles. This lot includes all cushion sole lines. Sizes 5 1/2 to 11 1/2. Reg. values to \$8.25. Mid-Winter Sale Price. **\$4.95**

Ladies & Growing Girls SLIPPERS

One-strap Slippers, in black patent or black kid leather; medium low rubber heels. Sizes 2 1/2 to 7. **EXTRA SPECIAL**

\$2.95

Ladies' Black Satin Slippers

with one strap. Has black Suede Trimming Satin Covered Heel. Sizes 3 to 7.

SPECIALLY PRICED at \$4.75

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(for all)

MEN'S HOCKEY SHOES. sizes 6 to 10 at **\$3.95**

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LADIES' HOCKEY SHOES. Repriced, sizes 3 to 6 1/2; regular \$3.95

Mid-Winter Sale Price. **2.95**

Goods By The Yard

GINGHAM. A hard wearing domestic woven gingham in a wide range of striped and checked patterns. Width 32 in. Reg. 35c. per yard. Mid-Winter Sale Price **25c per yard**

FLANNETTE. 27 in. wide. Strong even texture Flannelette, in plain colors or stripes. **SPECIAL! SPECIAL! SPECIAL!**

5 yards for 95c

PLAIN JAP OREPPES. In 10 new shades! width 30 inches. Mid-Winter Sale Price. **SPECIAL!**

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FUJI SILK. Good quality fine texture Fuji Silk. A range of colors. Width 29 inches. Reg. \$1.25 per yard; Mid-Winter Sale Price. **per yard 95c**

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF —
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15 p.c. off regular price

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Ladies' silk and wool or wool Hosiery in the most popular shades; also black, with ribbed or full fashioned tops. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. REPRICED FOR CLEARANCE at

per pair 85c

Childrens Black Ribbed Hose

Sizes 5 1/2 to 10. Repriced for Clearance at per pair **25c**

Men's Sweater Coats

Men's PURE WOOL JUMBO KNIT SWEATER COATS. In colors: Brown, Camel or Maroon. Regular \$8.25. Mid-Winter Sale Price. **\$6.95**

Men's FANCY V-NECK SWEATER COATS and PULLOVERS with roll-collars. Regular to \$5.50. Mid-Winter Sale Price. **\$3.95**

Also a lot of MEN'S WOOL SWEATER COATS with shawl collar and in good colors.

Men & Boys' Flannel Shirts

These are strong and well made from good quality flannel. Colors are Khaki or Grey. Sizes 15 to 18. **SPECIALLY PRICED at \$1.35**

BOYS' WOOL FLANNEL SHIRTS, in sizes 12 to 13 1/2. Going at **\$1.00**

Men's Linen Collars Odd Lines 6 for 25c

Men's Overalls

AT GREAT SAVINGS

Snag Proof OVERALLS in good weight; Blue or black Denim. Sizes 34 to 46; ON SALE AT

1.75 per pair

COATS TO MATCH AT SAME PRICE

GROCERIES

AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES

THESE SPECIALS WILL SAVE YOU MONEY!

P. & G. SOAP, 9 bars for 50c, 19 bars for **\$1.00**
CASTLE TOILET SOAP, 6 cakes for **25c**
GOLD DUST or GOLDEN WEST WASHING POWDER, Large Packages each **30c**

CHOICE QUALITY CANNED FRUITS

PEACHES, LOMBARD PLUMS, GREENGAGE PLUMS, PEARS

APRICOTS, BLACKBERRIES & LOGANBERRIES, 2's per tin **25c**

PURE B.C. RASPBERRY JAM, 4lb tin **65c**

PURE B.C. LOGANBERRY JAM, 4lb tin **65c**

PURE RED PLUM OR GREENGAGE JAM, 4lb tin **55c**

HAMSTERLY FARM PURE JAMS; ANY FRUIT; STRAWBERRY, RASPBERRY, APRICOT, BLACKBERRY, PEACH, BLACKCUR-

RANT, etc. 4lb tins. Reg. 90c. Specially priced, per tin **75c**

EMPRESS PURE ORANGE MARMALADE, 4lb tins **60c**

SWEET MIXED PICKLES, gallon tins at **95c**

OLD FASHIONED GINGER SNAPS, 5lbs for **\$1.00**

CALIFORNIA ORANGES, good sizes 3 dozen **\$1.00**

CALIFORNIA PRUNES, 2lbs 25c, 9lbs for **\$1.00**, 25lbs for **\$2.65**

BULK TEA, SPECIAL BLEND per lb **60c**, 5lbs for **\$2.85**

BULK COFFEE, AURORA BLEND, per lb **55c**, 5lbs for **\$2.45**

BLUE RIBBON NABOB, MALKINS BEST OR RED ROSE COFFEE 1lb tin **68c**

CHOICE TOMATOES, per case 24 x 2 1/2 **\$3.60**

CHOICE RED COHOE SALMON, tall tins, each **35c** or 3 tins **95c**

SUGAR, 20lb sacks **\$1.60**

ROLLED OATS, 20lb sacks **95c**

GOLD SEAL FLOUR, 90lb sacks **\$4.25**

(8 star) 5 STRING BROOMS, each **75c**

Ladies' Coats

Ladies Winter Coats AT LESS THAN COST
4 only coats left in the Season's Newest Styles and materials. Reg. values \$17.75 to \$43.50. REPRICED FOR CLEARANCE

\$11.50 to \$26.75

Ladies Underwear

ALL LADIES AND CHILDRENS PEERLESS UNDERWEAR to CLEAR AT

20 p.c. off Reg. Price

White or Grey BLANKETS

FLANNELETTE BLANKETS with Pink or Blue Borders.

Large size 64 x 80 per pair **2.45**

Medium size 64 x 72 per pair **\$1.95**

ALL-WOOL GREY BLANKETS

25 pairs Old Country made, all-wool grey BLANKETS. Large Size 64 x 80; weight 8lbs. **SPECIALLY PRICED FOR CLEARANCE at**

6.85

Moccasins at \$1.85

MEN'S BUCKSKIN, HORSEHIDE AND INDIAN MOCCASSINS
Sizes 6 to 12; Regular values to \$2.65. Mid-Winter Sale Price.

Shop Early For The Pick Of The Bargains From Every Department Of Our Store

Men's Ties

EXTRA SPECIAL!

In a beautiful range of Imported Silks, in Fancy stripes and brocaded patterns. Regular value to \$1.50. SALE PRICE.

95c each

A. C. ARMSTRONG

WAINWRIGHT ALTA.

Men's Socks

Men's all-wool Grey Work Socks. Extra good value. Per pair 35c or

3 for \$1.00

DON'T

MISS ANY OF OUR

SALE

BARGAINS

ON

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A. C. ARMSTRONG
GENERAL MERCHANT WAINWRIGHT

Annual January CLEARANCE SALE

All our left over Holiday Goods consisting of TOYS, DOLLS, BOOKS, CANDIES, MIXED NUTS, FANCY BOXES CHOCOLATES, DISHES, Everything at Bargain Prices.

Candy, Nuts, Toys, Chocolates

A Few Bargains Taken at Random

Candy—Xmas mixed, regular 25c per pound; on sale at

2 lbs for 35¢

Nuts—Mixed, Choice stock, selling at

5 lbs for \$1.00

Chocolates—High-grade, reg. 50c per lb. On sale

per lb 30¢

Fancy Box Chocolates—Reg. \$5.00 boxes. On sale

per box \$3.50

Fancy Box Chocolates—reg. \$4.00 boxes. On sale

per box \$2.50

Fancy Box Chocolates—reg. \$2.50. On sale

per box \$1.50

TOYS & DOLLS AT LESS THAN WHOLESALE
Many Other Bargains too Numerous to Mention

Fred. Gordon

THE PALACE BILLIARD HALL
CASH AND CARRY SECOND AVENUE

Coal - Coal

Dollar Lump	\$5.00
Dinant Egg	\$5.50
Chinook Egg	\$6.30
Black Diamond Lump	\$6.80
Newcastle Lump	\$7.80

add 60 cents for delivery in town.
CLEAN—WELL SCREENED—COAL

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OUR SPECIALTY IS MAPLE FLOORS AND HIGH-CLASS INSIDE FINISH

ATLAS LUMBER CO. LTD.

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HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. S. Ring, on January 14th, a daughter.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. E. Devignon, on January 15th, a daughter.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. R. Jones, on January 17th, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Davison were called hurriedly to the city last week end on account of the sudden illness of Mr. Davison's sister. We are glad to know that the patient is now some better.

FARMERS!—Read the advt. on page two re the Agricultural Society and arrange to be present at the Annual Meeting on Saturday, January 22nd at TWO o'clock sharp! It's in your interest!

On Sunday last Mr. Tom Tennant living some nine miles south of Edmonton succumbed to a sudden attack of heart trouble. The deceased gentleman is one of the old-timers of the district, and was aged sixty-two years.

The funeral of little Fred, 10 month's old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bishop, of Edgerton district, was held on Sunday last. The wee fellow passed away from some brain trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Art. Allison celebrated the twentieth anniversary of their wedding day on Saturday last with a little party, when many congratulations were extended to them.

Buy a load of Black Diamond coal from the Atlas yard. It'll warm you better than Maxwell's 24 hours and give you more comfort, too!

The Misses Evelyn Kemp, Yvonne Bisson and Janet McKeever entertained a large number of their young friends at a skating party at the rink last Friday evening. After leaving the rink a dainty lunch was served at the home of Mrs. Thos. Bisson and dancing was indulged in till a late hour.

Mrs. J. Finningore arrived from Viking on Monday on a visit to her father Mr. E. Baynton who has been very sick for the past two or three weeks.

If you are subscribing or renewing to the Montreal Star, Mrs. J. Tansley will be glad to fix this up for you. She is the local agent.

The regular meeting of the Wainwright U.F.A. Local No. 260 will be held on Saturday Jan. 29th at 2:30 p.m. in the Restaurant. As the objects and principles of this organization both economically and politically is for the common good it is deserving of support. Come and join up!

Mrs. Frank McLeod spent a few days at the week end on a visit to her parents at Heath. Of course Frank went down to spend Sunday at Armstrong's.

A slight error arose in our last issue and we hasten to correct it. Mrs. H. Montgomery kindly lent her home for the party which was noted, it being a birthday gathering of St. Thomas' social club.

The best time of Winter Goods we have ever handed out are going at Bargain Prices in the Big Sale at Armstrong's.

We are glad to see Mr. H. Montgomery around the streets again, although Monty is able only to get down town while the sun is shining. He doesn't look any too perky yet either after his sick spell.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. Fred Aykroyd has been confined to his home suffering with a badly inflamed eye.

A truly delightful evening was spent at the theatre on Wednesday last when Mr. and Mrs. Frank Horn were host and hostess to a large circle of their friends. Whist and dancing featured the evening. Alec Adams' orchestra supplying the peppy terpsichorean offerings. The prize winners at cards were Miss H. Keith 1; Miss V. Walton, 2; Mrs. M. Oxley, 3; and Messrs J. Welch, 1; G. Hollinshead, 2; and A. Mowatt, 3.

Mrs. C. Walton and her sister Mrs. Golding left for a visit at the coast on Thursday last.

Mr. Cuthbertson, manager of the Bank of Montreal, with Mrs. Cuthbertson and their little family leave this week for the coast, where they will enjoy the annual holiday from "the cares of finance!"

The students of grades V. and VI. were entertained at a skating party at the rink last Thursday night, the hostess being Miss Rankin, their teacher. Lunch was served before they dispersed.

Fire insurance is recognized by all business concerns as a good investment. Your property is your business. Place your protection with Joe Welch.

We are arranging to publish each week a "Register of dates" for all and sundry. No matter what you are contemplating, arranging, whether it be a lodge gathering or a whist drive, or even a social evening let us know over the phone, so that others may make their arrangements without a clashing of dates. Thanks!

Mrs. Henry Ward and son Horace are back home after spending the week in Edmonton where the wee lad underwent some special medical treatment.

DINE at The Wainwright

You will enjoy our late dinner on Sunday from 5.30 to 8 p.m.

SUNDAY SPECIAL 50¢ Dinner

Soup
Rice Chicken
Fish
Sardines on Toast
Entrée
Boiled Sugar-cured Ham
with French Mustard
Pork Chops & Fried Apples
Jellie Omelette
Dinner Rolls
Roast Turkey & Cranberry Sauce
Roast Chicken & Dressing
Sirloin of Beef & Brown Gravy
with Yorkshire Pudding
Leg of Lamb and Green Peas
Leg of Pork and Apple Sauce
Leg of Veal and Jelly
Cold Meats
Beef, Ham, Veal or Ox Heart
Vegetables
Steamed or Mashed Potatoes
Diced Carrots in Butter
Desserts
Apple Pie Hot Mince Pie
Caramel Pudding
Sliced Pineapple
Walnut Cream Cake
Butter Scotch Cream Pie
Tea Coffee



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Music of such astonishing range and richness of tone that you will be amazed. Be our guests. To-day?

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PHARMACY**
WAINWRIGHT



BREAK UP THAT COLD

White Pine & Tar Cough Syrup
Eucalyptus and Honey
Nylal Coughs with Hypophosphites
Wild Cherry & Creosote
Maltose Cough Drops
Zymole Troches
Nylal's Huskies
Laxative Bromo Quinine
"Once a trial—Always a Nylal"

SPECIAL THIS WEEK

HOT WATER BOTTLES
at \$1.25 & \$1.50 each

Gerow's Drug Store

KLING-DEL COMPANY EXPLAIN POSITION RE ELECTRIC POWER

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had of the necessity of the matter being taken up with the Utility Commissioners at Edmonton, and needless to say we are very much surprised and at a loss to understand why Mayor or Cork would take such action without first consulting us to determine our position in the matter so that both parties would be in a position to intelligently place their proposition before the Board—Judging from the Board's report to your council they seem to be very much misinformed, and therefore may have a very erroneous conception as to our position; and had Mr. Cork called on us first and correctly informed himself he would have been, in a position to give the Board the correct information and we feel certain that the communication above referred to would have read very differently.

In order that the citizens of Wainwright may know the facts in the case, we beg to advise that when the matter was first taken up with Mr. Cork, the members of the Council and Citizens of Wainwright, at a public meeting called by the Mayor, we were promised that the line would be extended to our plant free of charge. The matter rested on that basis until one of your officials (Mr. Deuss) suggested that we make formal application for the extension of this service. This request was complied with and we were later requested to attend a meeting of the Town Council at which the matter would be gone into. The writer and Mr. George Bonge, our general manager, attended that meeting and were then informed that the proposed extension would entail a cost of something like \$800.00, and that it would require a number of poles to carry the line beyond the town limits to our plant. We advised the Council at the said meeting that we were willing to pay for the extra poles but, with that exception, expected them to keep their promise. We were advised at that time, that the matter would be taken under further consideration, but nothing more was heard regarding this service, until we received the letter referred to at the opening of this letter. In the meantime, having concluded that we could not rely on the fulfillment of the promise made to us, and that if we wanted to use the service of the Wainwright power plant, we would have to stand the entire cost of the extensions to our plant, our Mr. Bonge went to Calgary and purchased an electric light plant outright.

We regret being compelled to take such action, but owing to the attitude taken by your Mayor and Council, of seeming to discourage industries from locating at Wainwright, there was no other course open to us, and the matter is thus closed so far as we are concerned.

With further reference to the Utility Board's communication, it would seem that they were informed to the effect that we were simply a bunch of fly-by-night stock promoters trying to put something over on the people of Wainwright and use the service extension as a stock-selling talk instead of for the purpose for which it was certainly intended. In this connection we might add that while we did not get the financial or moral support that we could reasonably hope for from the citizens and officials of the town of Wainwright, nevertheless we are glad to say that we do number among our shareholders and enthusiastic boosters many citizens of Wainwright and vicinity. It also appears that the Utility Board was informed that our plant was located so far distant from the town of Wainwright that there was a possibility of a confusion arising as to which town should supply our electric service.

In conclusion we wish to say that we do not intend to convey the impression that we are writing this letter in the spirit of commencing upon or criticizing the action or attitude taken by your Mayor and Council, nor in the manner in which they are administering the affairs of the town; but it is merely an expression from us to show our position in the premises. And, as above stated, we have purchased our own light plant and have no further interest in the proposed extension of service.

However, you will always find us ready to co-operate to the fullest extent of our ability, in any movement or action to further the best interests of the town of Wainwright and the surrounding country at all times.

"If it is good for Wainwright, we are for it."
Thanking you for this space,
Yours truly,
Kling-Del Refineries Ltd.
C. S. Klingman, President

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FOR THIS WEEK ONLY

PATTERSON'S ENGLISH PRINTS; guaranteed fast colors; best obtainable; SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK ONLY
3 yds for \$1.00

We have a line of REAL IRISH TWEEDS, which for this week we are letting go as a Special; Sells regularly for \$2.75 per yard.
\$1.79

REMNANTS REMNANTS

ONE WEEK ONLY, at per yard. Our Annual Stock-taking is now completed, and we have a splendid assortment of Odd Ends and short lengths of Useful and Serviceable Pieces. The Remnant tables are loaded with

Bargains For Your Benefit

Stock-taking is finished, also among our

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LOW PRICES ON STAPLE LINES

Drop in and give us your Grocery Order; you'll be the winner!

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